

Applicants : Zhongyi Li, et al.
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Disclosure Statement

Remarks

Applicants filed an Amendment in Response to July 23, 2009 Office Action and Petition for a Two-Month Extension of Time on December 22, 2009. Claims 1, 2, 4, 6, 8-18, 20, 24, 43, and 48-55 are pending in the subject application as presented in the Amendment filed on December 22, 2009.

Applicants have by this Supplemental Amendment canceled claims 50-52 without disclaimer or prejudice to applicants' right to pursue the subject matter of these claims in a different application, and amended claims 8, 9, 15, and 16.

Support for the amendments to claim 8 be found in the subject specification at, *inter alia*, page 20, lines 26-31; page 23, lines 23-28; and page 30, lines 6-9 and 22-25.

Support for the amendments to claim 9 be found in the subject specification at, *inter alia*, page 20, lines 26-31; page 23, lines 28-32; and page 30, lines 6-9 and 22-25.

Applicants maintain that the amendments to the claims raise no issue of new matter. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider and enter this Supplemental Amendment. Upon entry of this Supplemental Amendment, claims 1, 2, 4, 6, 8-18, 20, 24, 43, 48, 49 and 53-55 will be pending and under examination, of which claims 15-18, 20 and 24 have been withdrawn pending allowance of the examined claims.